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State Police Make Sexual Assault Arrest

In October of 2003, a sixteen year old female accompanied by her family contacted the Connecticut State Police at Troop "E" in Montville reporting that she had been sexually assaulted while attending summer camp at the Camp Rowland National Guard Facility located in Niantic, Ct. This case was immediately assigned to Detectives from the Connecticut State Police Eastern District Major Crime Squad.

After conducting an extensive investigation into these allegation, State Police Detectives filed an arrest application alleging that the victim, while attending summer camp in August of 2003, was provided with an alcoholic beverage by a male camp supervisor. That after ingesting the alcoholic beverage she became intoxicated and was sexually assaulted by the same counselor.

Detectives presented the facts and circumstances of this case to the State's' Attorney's Office at the New London Superior Court. Upon review of the case an arrest warrant was issued charging 36 year old GILROY J. LORENZO of #398 Hillside Avenue in Hartford with SEXUAL ASSAULT in the second Degree and DELIVERING LIQOUR TO A MINOR.

Earlier today **LORENZO** turned himself into State Police Detectives from the Eastern District Major Crime Unit and was processed and released on a \$50,000 cash bond. He will appear at New London Superior Court on March 22, 2004 to answer these charges.

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